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NH DHHS COVID-19 Update – September 7, 2020

Concord, NH – The New Hampshire Department of Health and Human Services (DHHS) has issued the following update on the new coronavirus, COVID-19.

On Monday, September 7, 2020, DHHS announced 33 new positive test results for COVID-19. There have now been 7,476 cases of COVID-19 diagnosed in New Hampshire. Several cases are still under investigation. Additional information from ongoing investigations will be incorporated into future COVID-19 updates. Of those with complete information, there are three individuals under the age of 18 and the rest are adults with 42% being female and 58% being male. The new cases reside in Strafford (8), Hillsborough County other than Manchester and Nashua (5), Cheshire (4), Grafton (2), Rockingham (2) and Merrimack (1) counties, and in the city of Manchester (11).

No new hospitalized cases were identified for a total of 718 (10%) of 7,476 cases. Six of the new cases had no identified risk factors. Community-based transmission continues to occur in the State and has been identified in all counties. Of those with complete risk information, most of the cases have either recently traveled, are associated with an outbreak setting, or have had close contact with a person with a confirmed COVID-19 diagnosis.

DHHS has no additional deaths to report.

Current Situation in New Hampshire

New Hampshire 2019 Novel Coronavirus (COVID-19) Summary Report (data updated September 7, 2020, 9:00 AM)

Recovered	6,805 (91%)
Deaths Attributed to COVID-19	433 (6%)
Total Current COVID-19 Cases	238
Persons Who Have Been Hospitalized for COVID-19	718 (10%)
Current Hospitalizations	7
Total Persons Tested at Selected Laboratories, Polymerase Chain Reaction (PCR) $_{\scriptscriptstyle 2}$	222,299
Total Persons Tested at Selected Laboratories, Antibody Laboratory Tests ₂	30,163
Persons with Specimens Submitted to NH PHL	43,328
Persons with Test Pending at NH PHL ₃	1,416

Number of Tests Conducted by Date of Report to NH DHHS

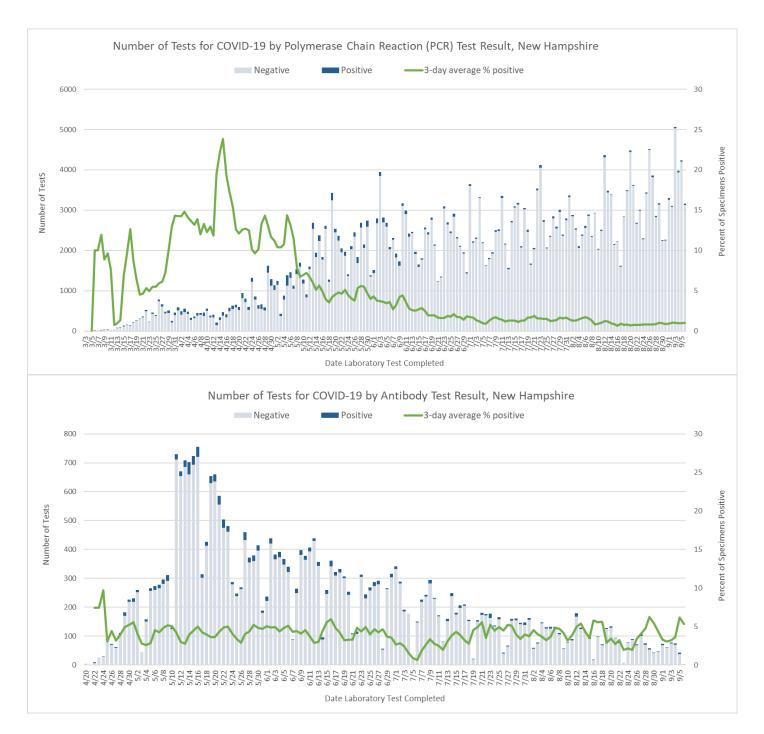
Polymerase Chain Reaction (PCR) Tests										
	8/31	9/1	9/2	9/3	9/4	9/5	9/6	Daily Average		
NH Public Health Laboratories	320	762	812	713	442	617	483	593		
LabCorp	531	823	752	635	632	423	676	639		
Quest Diagnostics	213	627	468	2,594	1,871	2,147	1,478	1,343		
Mako Medical	0	0	0	9	31	12	0	7		
Dartmouth-Hitchcock Medical Center	340	612	613	728	731	616	315	565		
Other NH Hospital Laboratory	222	312	316	222	176	207	125	226		
Other Laboratory*	638	166	150	168	99	216	86	218		
Total	2,264	3,302	3,111	5,069	3,982	4,238	3,163	3,590		
Antibody Laboratory Tests										
	8/31	9/1	9/2	9/3	9/4	9/5	9/6	Daily Average		
LabCorp	3	8	8	5	8	3	0	5		
Quest Diagnostics	21	42	35	59	47	35	3	35		
Dartmouth-Hitchcock Medical Center	10	11	9	8	8	4	0	7		
Other Laboratory*	11	11	8	5	8	0	0	6		
Total	45	72	60	77	71	42	3	53		

^{*} Includes out-of-state public health laboratories, out-of-state hospital laboratories, and other commercial laboratories not listed in the above table.

 $_{\scriptscriptstyle 1}$ Includes specimens positive at any laboratory and those confirmed by CDC confirmatory testing.

²Includes specimens tested at the NH Public Health Laboratories (PHL), LabCorp, Quest, Dartmouth-Hitchcock Medical Center, and those sent to CDC prior to NH PHL testing capacity.

³ Includes specimens received and awaiting testing at NH PHL. Does not include tests pending at commercial laboratories.



NH DHHS Daily Update on COVID-19 Archive

For more information, please visit the DHHS COVID-19 webpage at https://www.nh.gov/covid19.